

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 3, 1989

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SECTION 204.070 OF
THE LODI MUNICIPAL
CODE AMENDED AS IT
RELATES TO THE DATE
OF THE REORGANIZATION
OF THE CITY COUNCIL

ORD. NO. 1455
INTRODUCED

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The City Council introduced Ordinance No. 1455 amending Lodi Municipal Code Section 2.04.070 providing for election of the mayor and mayor pro tempore. The City Council was reminded that in October 1988, it acted to consolidate municipal elections with the statewide general elections for purposes of convenience and cost savings. The consolidation ordinance becomes effective in 1990 and extends the terms of those Council members now in office, until the general election held in November 1990.

Since Council elections will no longer be held in April, it is now necessary to modify Section 2.04.070 of the Lodi Municipal Code concerning procedures for the election by the Council of a mayor and mayor pro tempore. The proposed ordinance modifies the present section by specifying that the election of the mayor in years in which a general election is held shall be at the first regular meeting following the canvass of votes done in conjunction with the general election. In odd numbered years when no statewide general election is held, the mayor would be elected by the Council at the first regular meeting in November.

With these suggested amendments, the Municipal Code would then be consistent with Ordinance No. 1438.